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Hi Julia,

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Thank you,

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## Air

ClimateWire [Received 2/19] -- OPEN -- Methane regulation of existing sources. Request with program. DDL: 2/19.

Consumer Goods Forum [Received 2/16] -- OPEN -- Challenges and assessment of switching to sustainable refrigerants. Request with program. DDL: 2/19.

Discovery Channel – OPEN – Dr. Haugen interview/lab filming set for all day Mon, Feb. 29.

Greenwire [Received 2/18] -- OPEN -- Follow up on the number of exceptional events packages received from states since 2007. Request with program. DDL: 2/19.

Houston Chronicle [Received 2/19] -- CLOSED 2/19 -- Sent follow up on well aggregation rule.

ICIS – OPEN - # RINs produced by INEOS Bio.

Inside EPA [Received 2/19] -- CLOSED 2/19 -- Link to Bull Run petition.

Longview (Texas) News-Journal [Received 2/18] -- CLOSED 2/18 - Sent reviewed responses on sulfur dioxide attainment.

Mirror Evening (Beijing) [Received 2/17] -- OPEN -- Air pollution in China. Request with program. DDL: 2/19.

Newsweek [Received 2/17] -- CLOSED 2/19 -- Sent reviewed response on cumulative effect from air pollution.

NYT (Received 12/18) – OPEN – interview request for CG on start/stop tech. DDL Tues.

Science mag [Received 2/17] -- OPEN -- Follow up on Harvard's methane study. Request with program. DDL: 2/19.

VICE News [Received 2/17] -- OPEN -- Interview with Jeremy Martinich on his role as a scientist and the CIRA report sked for 2/25, 2 p.m.

## Budget

Inside EPA (Maria Hegstad) [Received 2/18] – OPEN – Funding for EPA Mass. Research lab; sent to OCFO, ORD and OARM – DDL 2/19

## **Chemicals and Pesticides**

Agri-Pulse [Received 2/18] – CLOSED – Corn rootworm; response sent

Algemeen Dagblad (Netherlands) [Received 2/1] – OPEN - PFOA and DuPont/Chemours; reporter's document request in program – DDL 2/12

BNA/Bloomberg (David Schulz) [Received 2/19] – Corn Rootworm agreements; proposed response awaiting OPS approval – DDL 2/19

Farm Journal (Sonja Begemann) [Received 2/16] – OPEN – Bayer's belt decision follow-up; proposed response awaiting OPS approval – DDL 2/19 COB

Fortune Magazine [Received 2/10] – CLOSED – Lead in home paint; response sent

Freelance Reporter (Natasha Gilbert) [Received 2/17] – OPEN – TOXCAST; proposed response awaiting OPS approval – DDL FLEX

Greenpeace UK [Received 2/16] – CLOSED – Neonicotinoids; sent the reporter general language

The Intercept (Sharon Lerner) [Received 2/4] – OPEN – Follow-up on PFA inquiry; response awaiting OPS approval – DDL 2/23

Los Angeles Times [Received 2/17] – CLOSED – Agent Orange use in Globe, AZ; no further info from reporter

Science News Magazine [Received 2/16] – OPEN – Scientists' Glyphosate regulation statement; response awaiting OPS approval – DDL 2/18 Noon

Tire Review [Received 2/17] – OPEN – Mosquito breeding in tires; questions in program – DDL 3/15

WFTS (ABC-10, Tampa, FL) [Received 2/12] – OPEN – Hartz flea and tick drops; in program – DDL unclear

### **Clean Power Plan**

Argus [Received 1/28] -- OPEN -- Systems using to help states comply with Clean Power Plan. Request with program. DDL: 2/22.

### **Enforcement**

InPaint [Received 2/16] – CLOSED – Lead paint enforcement action; OPS-approved response sent

### **Environmental Information**

FedTech [Received 2/5] – OPEN – Fighting insider threats; OEI and OPA discussing possible response – DDL 2/20

### **Gold King Mine**

Daily Caller (received 2/19) – OPEN – requesting a current water quality statement. Ddl tbd.

KUNC Media (received 2/10) – OPEN – Interview request on GKM current status and future plans. With OPS.

NPR (received 2/19) – OPEN – Grace Hood requesting interview on Silverton's NPL vote scheduled for Monday. DDL noon Tuesday, 2/23.

### **General Counsel**

Dartmouth Alumni Magazine [Received 1/4/16] – OPEN – Interview with Sammie nominee Stephanie Hogan from OGC conducted 1/14; follow-up info and headshot to be sent soon – DDL early March.

### **International and Tribal**

Independent State Dept. Contract TV producer [Received 12/11] – OPEN – Request for on-camera interview for Indonesian TV on EPA water management; discussing with OITA and OW – DDL March 2016

### **Policy**

SPAN mag (published by the U.S. Embassy in New Delhi, India) [Received 2/9] -- OPEN -- Smart growth. Request with program. DDL: 2/23.

## **Water**

Alaska Airlines [Received 2/17] – OPEN – Water conservation practices in Western states; sent to WS, R9 and R10 – DDL 2/22.

AZ Public Radio; CQ Roll Call; BNA/Bloomberg (Amena Saiyid); Ensia (Lizzie Grossman); DWMAPS – OPEN – DDL Various

Bloomberg [Received 2/12] – OPEN – Drinking Water quality dataset; in program (OW); DDL 2/19 COB

Capital News Service [Received 2/2] – CLOSED – Maryland drinking water lead levels; response sent

Charleston Gazette-Mail [Received 2/19] – OPEN – Request to comment on lawyer's WV PFOA letter; discussing with OW – DDL 4 PM

Farm Journal [Received 2/17] – OPEN – Hypoxia Task Force state strategies; questions in program – DDL 2/25

The Federal Times [Received 2/11] – OPEN – Critical water and chemical infrastructure; discussing with OW and OHS – DDL 2/25 (tentative)

Inside EPA (Suzanne Yohannan) [Received 2/19] – OPEN – Monitoring and regulation of PFOA levels in water; in program – DDL 2/24

Inside EPA (David LaRoss) [Received 2/18] – OPEN – Senate's Flint/GKM letters; OPS and OW handling – DDL 2/19

Public Source [Received 2/17] – CLOSED – Lead testing in water; OPS handling through Flint PIO group.

Reuters (David Bailey) [Received 2/18] – OPEN – NRDC's PCB litigation; proposed response awaiting OPS approval – DDL ASAP

Reuters (Josh Schneyer & Mike Fell) [Received 2/1] – OPEN – PH in drinking water; questions from reporter in; OW response in; OECA input sought on last question – DDL End of the week.

Reuters (Krista Mahr) [Received 2/16] – OPEN – Analysis of water treatment data in Pakistan; OITA declining input; OW to provide general information on relevant chemicals – DDL 2/23

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